

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**APPOINTMENT OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS
INCIDENT COMMAND AGENCY**

WHEREAS, RCW 70.136.030 directs the governing body of fire protection districts to designate a Hazardous Materials Incident Command Agency within the district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has considered the training, manpower, expertise, and equipment of agencies available within the district as well as the provisions of the Uniform Fire Code and other applicable codes and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that in the event of a hazardous materials incident within the district that the district would be notified of the incident and would in all probability be the first public agency to respond with the emergency personnel and equipment to the scene of the incident; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that it is in the best interests of the district and the residents of the district that the district qualify as a Hazardous Materials Incident Command Agency under Chapter 70.136 RCW;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of _____ County Fire Protection District No. _____ that the district is hereby designated as the Hazardous Materials Incident Command Agency to operate within the boundaries of the district; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners that the chief of the district or, in the absence of the chief, the officer in command of the district personnel and equipment that respond to a hazardous materials incident is designated as the representative of the district as that term is defined in RCW 70.136.020(8).

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of _____ County Fire Protection District No. _____ on this _____ day of _____, 2_____, the following commissioners being present and voting:

Commissioner

Commissioner

Commissioner

Secretary